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## 1. [REDACTED] troop movements [REDACTED]

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30 September: Aken to Orlamuende  
Dessau to Kahla

1 October : Altengrabow to Triptis  
Altengrabow to Weida

3 October : Altengrabow to Ohrdruf  
Stendal to Erfurt  
Brandenburg to Erfurt

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2. A sedan platoon with Soviet officers was loaded in Weimar on 30 September. On 3 October, shipments carrying a unit equipped with 160 mm mortars passed through Gera enroute toward a destination to the south of Gera. Ten guns with prime movers were loaded in Gera. A shipment with guns was observed at the Goeschwitz railroad station.

3. Artillery units were loaded in Gera on 4 and 5 October.

4. On 2 and 3 October, tank and artillery units were observed in camouflaged positions in the Kahla area.

Comment: These movements are connected with the large-scale fall maneuvers of the Eighth Guards Army. Elements of the Fourth Artillery Corps and engineer units, of the Eighth Guards Army which came from the Dessau-Aken training site are participating in the maneuvers.

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